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## NOTES/COMMENTS:

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Please find attached a Reply to the Final Office Action dated February 27, 2004, including a Petition for One-Month Extension of Time and a Terminal Disclaimer, along with the appropriate fee for each, for filing in the above-referenced application. Thank you.

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## for FY 2004

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

Application Number	09/868,811
Filing Date	09/23/2000
First Named Inventor	Wyatt Price Hargett, Jr.
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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001 770	2001 385	Utility filing fee			
1002 340	2002 170	Design filing fee			
1003 530	2003 265	Plant filing fee			
1004 770	2004 385	Reissue filing fee			
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional filing fee			
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)					

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent	-20* =	X	
Multiple Dependent	- 3** =	X	

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
1202 18	2202 9	Claims in excess of 20
1201 88	2201 43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 290	2203 145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 88	2204 43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 18	2205 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)		

\*or number previously paid, if greater. For Reissues, see above

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1251 110	2251 55	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath			
1252 420	2252 210	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet			
1253 850	2253 475	Non-English specification			
1254 1,480	2254 740	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination			
1255 2,010	2255 1,005	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action			
1401 330	2401 165	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action			
1402 330	2402 165	Extension for reply within first month			
1403 280	2403 145	Extension for reply within second month			
1404 280	2404 145	Extension for reply within third month			
1405 280	2405 145	Extension for reply within fourth month			
1406 2,010	2406 1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month			
1407 330	2407 165	Notice of Appeal			
1408 330	2408 165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal			
1409 280	2409 145	Request for oral hearing			
1410 1,510	2410 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
1411 110	2411 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable			
1412 1,330	2412 665	Petition to revive - unintentional			
1501 1,330	2501 665	Utility issue fee (or release)			
1502 480	2502 240	Design issue fee			
1503 640	2603 320	Plant issue fee			
1460 130	2460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner			
1807 50	2807 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)			
1808 180	2808 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt			
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1809 770	2809 385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
1810 770	2810 385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
1801 770	2801 385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1802 900	2802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other fee (specify)		Statutory Disclaimer			
Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid					55.00
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